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In re Application of:
Lange

Serial No. 10/725,744

Filed: December 2, 2003

For: SYSTEMS FOR INSPECTING
WAFERS AND RETICLES WITH
INCREASED RESOLUTION

Group Art Unit: 2877
Examiner: Stafira, Michael Patrick

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AMENDMENT; RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION MAILED OCTOBER 20, 2005

MS: Non-Fee Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
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Dear Sir/Madam:

This paper is submitted in response to the Office Action mailed October 20, 2005 to further highlight reasons why the application is in condition for allowance.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 5 of this paper.